

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIS, SENV, IWC-1, AS, US

SUBJECT: U.S. OBSERVER FOR AUSTRALIAN WHALING STATION

REF: STATE 65263

U.S. OBSERVER WILL BE MR. DENNIS FUNK, A BIOLOGIST WITH  
EXPERIENCE IN OBSERVING FISHERY OPERATIONS INVOLVING MARINE  
MAMMALS. (U.S. PURSE SEINING TUNA FISHING OPS IN EASTERN  
PACIFIC). HE WILL ARRIVE SYDNEY ON APRIL 10 AT 9:05 AM  
VIA PANAM 815. UNDERSTAND LAST YEAR, AUSTRALIANS MET U.S.  
OBSERVER AT AIRPORT AND ASSISTED HIM IN HANDLING HIS GEAR,  
WHICH WAS MOST APPRECIATED. MR. FUNK IS BRINGING LARGE  
AMOUNT OF GEAR AND WOULD APPRECIATE ANY ASSISTANCE  
AUSTRALIANS MIGHT BE ABLE TO PROVIDE HIM. VANCE

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